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Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A water- and halogen-free dispersion comprising zinc oxide particles in primary-particle-redispersed form having a diameter of between 1 and 200 nm, [[and]] aminoalcohols, and one or more C₂- to C₆- monoalcohols.
- 2. Cancelled
- 3. (Currently Amended) A process for preparing a water- and halogen-free zinc oxide dispersion comprising adding zinc oxide particles in primary-particle-redispersible form, with stirring, to aminoalcohols or aminoalcohol-containing, anhydrous organic solvents wherein the organic solvents are C₂- to C₆-monoalcohols.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A molded article prepared using the dispersion according to Claim 1.
- 5. (Original) A coating composition comprising the dispersion of Claim 1.